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In re application of: Lofland et al.

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Filed: February 8, 2002

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Title: MULTIPURPOSE TESTING SYSTEM FOR OPTICAL CROSS CONNECT DEVICES

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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AMENDMENT B

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated January 18, 2005, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which being on page 2 of this papers.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.